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FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN, INVITATION NO. 8, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-249

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen cooked diced chicken meat produced from fowl as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Nov. 5. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Nov. 9. Deliveries are to be made from Dec. 16 to Dec. 31.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?</a>. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen cooked diced chicken meat, produced from ready-to-cook fowl (a class of mature female chickens), packed in four 10-pound (4.54 kg) packages to a net weight of 40 pounds (18.14 kg) in each shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Note that some item numbers and the associated quantities for frozen cooked diced chicken have been set-aside for small business concerns and are indicated by a single asterisk. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-249, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken dated July 1999, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch

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STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp">http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp</a>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-249, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 21 CHICKEN, DICED, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIV	JERY PERIOD 12/1	16/01	1 - 12/31/01	
001	YANTIC	CT		40,000 *
002	JOHNSON CITY MADISON HEIGHTS	TN VA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	14,000 26,000
003	MOBILE WINTER HAVEN	AL FL	TRUCK ONLY	30,000 10,000
004	WINTER HAVEN	FL		40,000 *
005 006	KALAMAZOO DAYTON	MI OH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 <b>*</b> 40,000 <b>*</b>
007 008	LITTLE ROCK ALEXANDRIA	AR LA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 40,000 *
009	DENVER MILLARD	CO NE	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
011	CLEARFIELD LINDON	UT UT	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	24,440 15,560
012 013 014	LOS ANGELES POMONA SACRAMENTO	CA CA CA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	80,000 40,000 80,000

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015 016 017	FOREST GRO PUYALLUP SPOKANE	VE OR WA WA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 80,000 40,000			
TOTA	L QUANTITY	FOR COMMOI	OITY TYPE	800,000			
TOTA	L QUANTITY	FOR INVIT	ATION	800,000			

Dennis J. Pearson Contracting Officer

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